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Collect Tin Cans This Weekend

Local housewives are again reminded that a collection of tin cans for purposes of salvage will be taken up Saturday and Sunday in a house to house canvass under the auspices of the local salvage committee.

The cans will be collected on Saturday and Sunday in several local precincts, and will be taken in beachwagons to a central collection point. Volunteer drivers and Boy Scouts will pick up the cans.

Those who have been saving the tins are advised to put them in a strong suitable container, and to leave them in an accessible place on their porches or front yards for the collectors.

The cans will be picked up in Precincts 1 and 2 on Saturday morning, and Precincts 3 and 6 Sunday morning. Precincts 4 and 5 are being omitted for the present, but arrangements will be made to include them in future canvasses.

Essex County Paintings Shown At Addison Gallery

Essex County and especially Rockport and Gloucester have always been favorite summer haunts of artists from all over the country. Recognizing this, the Addison Gallery has drawn on these summer visitors who have established annual residence in these towns for its present exhibition, selected to illustrate current painting trends in this region. Twenty pictures chosen especially for this exhibition from the studios of fifteen different artists, both visiting and year-round residents, are now on view at the Gallery until August 24. Plans are also being made to circulate this exhibition to various museums as one of a series showing work being done by artists in the region. Paintings by Worcester county artists have already been shown at the Addison Gallery and those by Providence painters will be on view at the end of this month.

Several artists represented in the present Andover exhibition are well known both locally and nationally, among them being Ann Brockman, William McNulty, Prescott Jones and Esther Williams. Miss Williams is showing an oil study of a sleeping child, while Miss Brockman's watercolor of "The Painters' Colony" is a scene at Rockport painted near her own house. Alica Atkinson (Mrs. C. G. Waterston) of North Andover, who held an exhibition of her work at Abbot Academy a year ago, is now exhibiting a gay and colorful scene of brilliant yellow flowers inside a greenhouse. A boldly painted picture of a "Rooster" and a nostalgic scene of Spain are two oils by John Northey of Topsfield included in the present exhibit.

Finance Committee Transfers \$7000

Reserve Fund To Provide For Protection Expenses

At a special meeting Monday evening, the town finance committee voted to transfer \$7000 from the augmented reserve fund of \$22,000 agreed upon at the March town meeting, for civilian defense expenditures under the direction of the board of selectmen. Ordinarily the reserve fund is set at \$15,000, but \$7000 more was added in March because it had previously become obvious that the appropriation of \$11,500 at the special town meeting in December would not be adequate for expenses incurred during the full year.

A separate appropriation in the town budget for civilian defense was inadvisable at that time, since the money would be used by several regular and special departments. There was also no definite information at that time as to how long the emergency would last, or the nature of the expenses which would be incurred by the town's civilian defense requirements at various times through the year.

The \$11,500 appropriated for civilian defense in December is now exhausted, and it has been decided to use the earmarked \$7000 from the reserve fund, which should be adequate for expenses during the remainder of the year. The selectmen expect that most of the larger individual needs, such as those of the fire and medical departments, have now been taken care of, and that future expenses will be incurred on a regular month-

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"Anything Goes" Presented Here Next Monday Evening

Cole Porter's "Anything Goes" will be presented as the sixth attraction of the Andover Drama Festival season Monday evening at 8:30 at the Memorial auditorium. Its tunes are known to millions everywhere, and include such melodies as "I get a kick out of you," "Blow, Gabriel, Blow," "You're the Top," "All through the Night" and several others. An augmented cast will present the hilarious musical, including many feature specialty acts imported especially for the occasion.

Frank Lyon and Jack Good appear in the leading comic roles, which more than guarantees a perfect performance. The production is being presented this week at the Lake Whalom Theatre at Fitchburg and comes to Andover after one of the most successful weeks

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Special Town Meeting on August 21

Selectmen Authorize Meeting After Receipt Of Petition By 500 Vale, West Andover Residents

Polgreen Resigns As Defense Head

In a letter received by the Board of Selectmen yesterday morning, Atty. Alan T. Polgreen, chairman of the local committee on Public Safety, tendered his resignation from that position. Atty. Polgreen was inducted into the armed forces recently, being appointed acting corporal of the group leaving here last Thursday.

No action has been taken as yet by the selectmen on appointing a successor to Mr. Polgreen.

The complete text of his communication was:

Board of Selectmen
Andover, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I have been inducted into the armed forces, and submit this letter of resignation as chairman of the Andover Committee on Public Safety.

I greatly appreciate the opportunity given me to represent the

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Andover, St. Anne's Tied In Playoff Semi-Finals

Two costly errors and a wild pitch, before the Andover town team steadied down to play a fine brand of ball in the remainder of the contest, let three runs cross the plate and decided last night's semi-final playoff game in favor of the St. Anne's club, 5 to 1. Since the town team had beaten St. Anne's at O'Sullivan park on Tuesday evening, the series is now tied, and tonight's game, the last in the series, will decide Andover's chances of getting into the finals for the league championship next week.

Buddy Done, who has been extremely effective against the Lawrence club all year, and who pitched Tuesday's victory, will probably start tonight, with Bud Ferguson on hand as an alternate. Dean Ellis, one of the best pitchers in Greater Lawrence, will probably be in the box for St. Anne's. The game will be held in O'Sullivan park, Lawrence, at 6:15 this evening.

The Lawrence club got away to a fast start last night, scoring three runs in the first inning. With one away, Schiller singled over second, and Wells walked. Duffen hit between third and short, and Hilton, in left field for the local nine, lost the ball and then threw wildly to

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A special town meeting to settle the fate of three local schools recently ordered closed for the coming year will be held a week from Friday. The Board of Selectmen issued a warrant for the meeting Tuesday, following the receipt of a petition for it, signed by more than 500 voters, and filed at the town clerk's office Monday.

The article, as it appears on the warrant, seeks "to see if the town will vote to instruct the school committee to rescind their recent action in closing the Bradlee, North and West Center schools, on petition of William J. Riley and others."

The petition for a special meeting bore the signatures of 500 voters, mostly residents of West Andover and Ballardvale, where it had received its largest circulation. Only the matter of reopening the schools was discussed in it, though the school committee had adopted, at the same time, a new policy of not transporting pupils who live within a two-mile radius of their schools. Even if the schools are reopened, this will remain in effect, unless further action is authorized on it by the special town meeting.

The action of closing the schools was adopted by the committee, with only one dissenting vote, though after considerable discussion, at a special mid-summer meeting two weeks ago. The closing, in turn, had been recommended by

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Query Homeowners On Conversion

The civilian defense committee this week took up a problem which threatens to be one of the most serious this part of the country has faced so far in the present war, that of the conversion of fuel oil and the switch to coal-burning by all who are able to do so.

The committee has sent out questionnaires to all local families known by it to use oil burners for heating. Naturally, all such families will not be reached; it is likely that the majority of them will not. Those who do not receive questionnaires are asked to get in touch with the civilian defense secretary in the town hall, since the survey will be worthless unless it is reasonably complete.

The poll is being conducted throughout the state by the Mass. Committee on Public Safety; it is designed to show how many families in this region can shift to coal this winter, how many have already done so, and how many are definitely planning to. These questions are all to be answered briefly on the questionnaire—which is only for purpose of the survey and strictly confidential. The questionnaire also asks whether the householder has had any difficulty in getting parts for the conversion to coal. It is hoped that the survey can be completed this week.

Everybody knows about the fuel shortage, or thinks he knows about it. There has been much talk by people from Ickes down or up (take your pick according to politics) as to how much oil was or was not available.

These figures for New England have been released from the office of F. L. Higginson, Director of Services and Supplies of the Massachusetts Committee on Public Safety.

Total consumption oil and gasoline, 1941—133,500,000 barrels.

Revised quota for twelve months, May 1942 — May 1943 — 108,500,000 barrels, made up of

Heavy oil	35,000,000
Light oil	37,000,000
Gasoline	27,500,000
Miscellaneous	8,500,000

WEST PARISH

Betty Anne Smith of Somerville has returned to her home after enjoying a week's stay with her aunt, Mrs. Earl Slate of Argilla road.

Misses Loretta and Lucille Noll of River road are spending the week with relatives in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Foster and family of Fletcher street are vacationing at Seabrook, N. H.

Mrs. Fred Doyle and sons of Chandler road, and Mrs. Dean Hudgins and sons of North street, spent the past week in camp at Province Lake, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Calvin of Akron, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward McLean and children of Yardley, Penna., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barnard, at their summer home in Barnstable.

Rosemary Davidson is recuperating at her home on Lowell street from an operation performed recently at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lane have returned to their home on High Plain road after enjoying a week's stay at Biddeford Pool, Maine.

This is a consumption figure for 12 months, but the oil is largely consumed in 8 months. Normally a reserve of oil is built up during the summer as gasoline stocks are used up, while a gasoline reserve is built up in winter or spring as the oil supplies dwindle. Normally, 95 percent of New England's oil and gasoline moves by water. The war has interrupted this, as we know, by sinkings and by diversion of tankers to supply our own forces and those of our allies.

Last year a great effort was made to get extra oil into storage by January. Fortunately this was done, yet in spite of this there was only two day's supply of heating oil left in New England by the end of March.

The eight months from May 1 to January 1 should have seen two-thirds of our oil quota brought in. Reduced to terms of tank cars this figure is 344,444 car loads or 72,333,333 barrels.

Of this total there was received through August 1 only 87,652 cars or 18,406,920 barrels.

This leaves a total to be brought in by January first of 256,792 cars.

On a daily basis, this means 1689 cars every day from August 1 to January 1, better than 28 60-car trains every day, while other freight is kept rolling at the same time. On a 15 day turn-around basis (allowing 15 days per round trip from loading point back to loading point) this means 25,335 cars for New England out of the total of 62,000 tank cars allotted to the Atlantic coast. There are a total of about 110,000 tank cars in the country.

If we continue to bring in at the present rate, light oil and gasoline must suffer, because heavy oil must be brought in at the full rate to keep our war industries going. That would mean a total of only 25,853,333 for light oil, gasoline, and miscellaneous, or only slightly more than our reduced quota for light domestic oils alone. This gives us 52.7 percent of our revised budget and 39.3 percent of our 1941 consumption.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Noke and son of Dexter, Maine, spent a few days recently as guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart of High Plain road.

Mrs. Sewall W. Titcomb and daughter Gail, of Chandler road, are enjoying the week at Buzzard's Bay.

Mrs. Edgar Wright of Lovejoy road received many messages of congratulation Sunday, when she celebrated her 87th birthday. She is in very good health, and spends much of her time in her flower and vegetable gardens. She is also very active in the affairs of the West church, and rarely misses a Sunday service.

Mrs. John Guild of Buffalo, N. Y., is enjoying a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Babb.

Miss Elizabeth Cromie of Philadelphia, Pa., is spending two weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Sherman Boutwell of Shawsheen road.

ENLISTS IN COAST GUARD

Phillips E. Pasho, Jr., of 35 Pearson street, left yesterday for Boston, where he has enlisted in the U. S. Coast Guard. A graduate of Pynchard high school with the class of 1940, he has since been employed by the J. E. Greeley company.

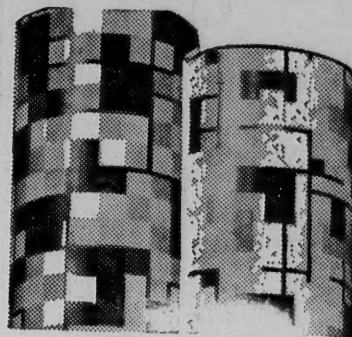
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Child Describes Life In Wartime England

If you think you have something to complain about these days, you might listen to a child's story of her life in England, as described to a letter to a local man, who, through the "Save the Children Federation" in New York, is supporting two bombed-out city children somewhere in England's countryside.

The child, Florence Tutin, wrote to thank the local man for a gift of clothing, and incidentally described her life in war time. She gets up early in the morning to help her brother, aged 12, to wash the breakfast dishes before going to school. Afterwards, "I go messages and mind my baby brother, he is 2½ years, and I have a little sister and brother who don't go to school."

Of her large family, her father had been out of work nine years, but has now been working for the past year and a half. "It makes a big difference to Mam. She has a bit more money than what we got on the dole." Florence's big brother, 18 years old, is working "in the brick flats." One sister, 16 years old, is making about \$1.50 a week, and another, 16 years old, makes \$2.85 a week in a clothing factory.

That all would seem to make a mighty small income for a family of nine. Other local people who might like to help in a worthy charity, at a cost, per child, of \$30 a year, might write to the Save the Children Federation, One Madison avenue, New York.

Religious Education School Planned For Coming Week

The Northern New England School of Religious Education, which has been well attended, in past years, by local religious leaders and students, will be held during the coming week, starting Sunday, at the University of New Hampshire in Durham. Thaxter Eaton of Andover, treasurer of the school, is serving as its business manager again this year.

Important phases of church work, and a laboratory school for five different age groups, will be provided by the 39 courses planned for this year. That the relations of religion to war have not been overlooked is evidenced by such courses as "Missions and World Peace," "Youth Faces the Present Situation" and "World Friendship."

The school program will provide a full day for those attending, a well-rounded system of activities being planned from 6:45 each morning to 10:15 at night. The university's pools, gymnasium and playing fields will be available for recreation, and interest and work groups will include crafts, dramatics, music appreciation, school service projects and nutrition.

For those unable to attend the entire week's sessions, a special program has been planned for Saturday and Sunday, August 22 and 23. This week-end institute will give its members an opportunity to visit any of the school classes, and to participate in its recreation, study and worship, as well as an opportunity to see at first hand what the school is doing for leaders in the local church activities.

Miss Pauline Dufresne of Brechin Terrace, formerly with the Townsman Press, has accepted a position with the Second National Bank of Boston.

Drama

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in the history of the Guy Palmer-ton Players.

The Drama Festival will continue for three weeks longer.

Phone reservations will be accepted by calling Andover 1274 or Andover 621-W. Mail orders will be filled in the order of their arrival.

Those who have become regular patrons of the Andover Drama Festival had a surprise, and a pleasant one, last Monday evening, since several of their favorite players assumed characters quite different from the ones which have been associated with them. Ann Mason, who usually has a meaty low-comedy role, took the part of an ultra-ultra British peeress; Harry Lowell, formerly a milksop, toughened up as a hard-berled bartender, and Raymond Greenleaf, generally a personage of considerable probity, branched out as a bishop with an unusual taste for adventure and ability to find it. And incidentally, new roles aside, all three turned in the finest performances seen here this season.

The settings were considerably better than those of the previous plays here, speaking well for Joseph Hall, who handles that aspect of the production. The layout of the bishop's home was particularly noteworthy in that respect.

The plot concerned a set of jewels, stolen in Harry Lowell's English pub by Donald Meadows (Glen Langan) and Hester Grantham (Betty Gilpatrick), from the no-account Guy and Mrs. Waller (Frank Lyon and Louise Kirtland). Mrs. Waller was the sort of woman who talks like a fishwife, au naturel, and like a dowager when there's company in the front room. Frank Lyon, happily, was Frank Lyon, and his dramatic talents were well paired with those of Miss Kirtland.

Once the jewels were stolen, they were secreted in a cup on the pub's mantelpiece, there to await the coming of a confederate. Bishop Greenleaf, however, stopping by in time's nick, found the jewels, stole them for the second time in a few minutes, and left his calling card in the manner of the beloved Raffles.

He went to his home, and was immediately followed by nearly the whole cast. It turned out that Glen and Miss Gilpatrick—who turned in a nice performance in her first role of any consequence here—had stolen the jewels from the infamous Wallers purely out of the goodness of their hearts—it seemed that Guy Waller had done a wrong to Miss Gilpatrick's father many years ago. Eventually, after some of the crooks had been confined in a vault, and the others had been reprimanded by Mr. Greenleaf, the Bishop collected a \$1000 reward for the recovery of the jewels and promptly turned it over to the poor of his parish.

Since every aspect of the production, and every part in it, was most capably handled, Monday evening's performance of "Anything Goes" will undoubtedly be eagerly awaited.

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Burke Arrives Safely In Pacific War Area

Pvt. J. William Burke of the U. S. Marine corps is now stationed somewhere in the Pacific area, but his exact location cannot be disclosed, according to word received this week by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burke of North Main street, Shawsheen. The telegram received by them was dated from San Francisco, but Pvt. Burke may be stationed on the coast or at almost any United States post from Australia to Alaska.

The former local boy was a well-known athlete at Punchard high school, from which he graduated this year. Though he had been a Marine since January 17, he had expected to attend the graduation exercises, but special orders sending him to San Diego, Calif., prevented him from doing so.

Finance

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ly basis, such as office supplies, telephone and light bills, and the salaries of several emergency workers, including the secretary at the civilian defense office and a guard at the town pumping station at Haggitt's Pond.

Altogether, there are some 15 departments under civilian defense, and in some of these, such as the decontamination squad and the State Guard, hardly any expense has been incurred as yet, but will be in the near future.

About \$345, for instance, is being spent for air raid shelters fitted up in the past few months at the public schools. Originally, a motion had been filed at town meeting for a special appropriation of \$500, but it was later agreed that necessary expenditures would be handled from the reserve fund. No decontamination work has been done as yet, since the state is reviewing the best procedure on it, and will make definite recommendations later. The sum of \$750 had already been set aside for this work, however.

The town has also agreed to purchase uniforms for the local State Guard company. The Commonwealth's regulations for the so-called "numbered companies" provides that guns and other equipment of that nature will be provided by the state, but that supplying uniforms for the men depends on the town where they are located. Since the local company is meant strictly for service in Andover, and is the only military body which is locally controlled and manned, the selectmen have felt that the town should contribute to their requirements.

As to the local rationing board, which has greatly expanded since its establishment early this year, the federal government provides stationery and supplies, and pays for clerk hire, but the town has to provide an office, desks, files, and take care of running expenses.

The cost to the town of local salvage activities is another element that must be considered. It should also be remembered that town meeting budget appropriations are made for the balance of the calendar year, and that town departments are permitted to spend one-twelfth that amount in advance of the next appropriation in March. On the other hand, civilian defense expenses must be handled through to March by drawing on the reserve fund already established.

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DEATHS

One of Shawsheen's most prominent residents almost from its beginning, **Henry J. Simmers**, 53, died Sunday night at his home, 22 Enmore street, after a long illness. He had been proprietor of the Balmoral Spa for many years prior to his retirement last year due to illness. He was also prominent in local sporting circles, being at one time president of the Merrimack Valley Tennis league and of the Shawsheen Tennis club. He was considered an authority on the sport, and spent a great deal of time arranging matches for various clubs throughout Greater Lawrence.

He was one of the best known druggists in this area, and had followed that business from the age of 19. After residing for some years in Canada and Springfield he came to Shawsheen about 20 years ago, residing there since.

He was a member of the Square and Compass club and of St. Matthew's lodge, A.F. and A.M. He was prominent in the old Canoe club here many years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Wilhelmina (Lacomb) Simmers; a daughter, Mrs. Eldred L. Field; a son, Richard C. Simmers; his mother, Mrs. Rose Simmers; four sisters, Mrs. Blanche Farr of New York, N. Y., Miss Pearl G. Simmers of Boston and Miss Florence Simmers and Mrs. Ida B. Joncas, both of Lawrence; and three brothers, Clement P. and Arthur A. Simmers of Springfield and George Simmers of Del Rosa, Calif.

Private funeral services were held in Woodlawn cemetery chapel, Everett, Tuesday afternoon at 3:00.

Mrs. Ruth (Barrow) Battye, 29, died Saturday morning at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Barrow of 29 Dufton road, where she had made her home for the past four months. She was a native and life-long resident of Lawrence.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the home of Mrs. Barrow, and burial was in Bellevue cemetery, Lawrence.

In Memoriam

Mrs. James Perry Gribben

Freed at last from the tortures of an incurable malady, the blessed form of Mrs. James Perry Gribben found a final resting place beside her husband in Oakland cemetery, St. Paul, Minn., on Saturday, August 1.

Following her passing the previous Tuesday, a brief service by her pastor, Rev. Elton E. Smith of the Baptist church, was held on Thursday morning at the place Mrs. Gribben had called "home" for the past four years, that of her sister, Mrs. Ada P. Billington, who escorted the body west.

In St. Paul, a service by Rev. Mr. Odell, D.D., pastor of "The House of Hope," took place in the library of the deceased's former home on Summit avenue, for some time now, since Mr. Gribben's death, the home of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Otis, their warm and life-long friends.

To all, both young and old, who came within the vivid influence of Mrs. Gribben's graciousness, it will be hard to believe that such a constant well-spring of loveliness and courage has gone beyond.

By no strange coincidence, but in tribute to her great spirit, both pastors, the one unknown to the other and in widely separated services, acknowledged that in visits with Mrs. Gribben, over a span of many years, each had received spiritual comfort in greater measure than he himself could impart.

Thus passes a noble soul, one who loved and understood the beauties of all creation and walked humbly with God.

"They are not dead who live
In lives they leave behind;
In those whom they have blessed
They live a life again
And shall live through the years
Eternal Life..."

Miss Helen Pasho of Pearson street is enjoying a week's vacation from her duties in the law office of Special Justice William H. Daly of Lawrence.

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WEDDINGS

Holland-Healey

Miss Barbara Mary Healey, niece of Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence Toohey of 43 Abbot street, became the bride of Lieut. (J.G.) Robert Cades Holland, U.S.N.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester White Holland of 120 Chestnut street, at a ceremony performed at 3:30 o'clock Sunday, by Rev. A. J. MacDonald of St. Michael's church, North Andover.

Wedding plans for August 29 were hastily cancelled when Lieut. Holland was ordered to report for active duty at Pensacola on Tuesday.

Given in marriage by her brother, John Xavier Healey, the bride wore a full-skirted gown of white organza edged with ruffles of eyelet embroidery, with full frothy train. Her fingertip veil fell from a cap of Brussels lace, and she carried a bouquet of white gladioli.

Miss Mary Toohey, cousin of the bride, was her only attendant. She carried yellow gladioli with a matching coronet. James Lawrence Toohey, Jr., of New York was best man.

Mrs. Holland, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Xavier Healey of North Andover, is a graduate of Abbot Academy and Smith college. The groom was graduated from Phillips Academy and Yale university.

MISS SAWYER ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Howard M. Sawyer of 60 Bartlet street announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeanne, to Lieut. John Butler Faggi, U.S.A.

Miss Sawyer is a graduate of Abbot Academy and Sweet Briar college. Lieut. Faggi is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfeo Faggi of Woodstock, N. Y. His father, widely-known sculptor, is represented at the Addison Gallery by a bronze head of the Japanese poet Noguchi, and several drawings.

Lieut. Faggi studied at Phillips Academy, and was graduated from Princeton university with the class of 1939. He was a member of the Colonial club there, and of Squadron A and Troop A of the 101st Cavalry. He was recently graduated from the officers candidate school at Fort Benning, Georgia.

The wedding will take place Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Cochran chapel, Phillips Academy. Rev. A. Graham Baldwin officiating. A reception will be held after the ceremony at the North Andover Country club, and the couple will leave immediately afterwards for Camp Adair, Oregon, where Lieut. Faggi will be stationed.

ENGAGED TO LOCAL MAN

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest F. Bursley of Winchester announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Aline Virginia Bursley, to Lieut. C. Horsman Weeks, Jr., U.S.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Weeks of 66 Chestnut street.

Lieut. Weeks, who is now stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, attended Phillips Academy and was graduated from Harvard university in 1942.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Haakonsen of Salem street announce the engagement of their daughter, Solveig Juondahl Haakonsen, to W. Raymond Morehouse, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Raymond Morehouse of 124 Chestnut street.

THE ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, August 13, 1942

Warden Coverage Poor In Recent Daylight Test

Final reports on the number of wardens reporting for duty at last week's air raid test have indicated that only 25 to 30 percent of the wardens in each precinct were present to cover their beats. While Andover evidently has quite enough wardens for night duty, and a lower percentage had been expected to report during the daytime, many of them being employed out of town, the number of available workers was not expected to be nearly that low.

More wardens are definitely needed for daytime duty, according to Chief Warden Leonard F. James. The dangers of an air raid in Andover have certainly not been diminished by the course of the war during the past few weeks, and a large, trained body of air-raid workers is badly needed. Both men and women who will be in Andover during the daytime are urged to enroll in the new school for wardens, to be held at the Memorial Hall library, beginning September 14, for three successive weeks. Classes will be held every Monday and Thursday evening at 7:30.

A refresher course for present wardens will be held on October 5 and 8, in order to bring them up to date on recently revised civilian defense procedures. All wardens will be required to attend.

Persons wishing to become wardens may get in touch with Chief Warden James at his home at 6 Highland road, telephone 603-M, or with their precinct wardens. They are: Precinct 1, Fred G. Cheney, 83 Maple avenue, tel. 100; Precinct 2, Geoffrey Glendenning, 33 High street, tel. 497-W; Precinct 3, James Mosher, 78 Haverhill street, 294-M; Precinct 4, Herbert Carter, 181 Lowell street, 1577-M; Precinct 5, George G. Brown, Andover street, Ballardvale, 1166-W; Precinct 6, Harold Houston, Hidden road, 335.

Town Meeting

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the financial and advisory sub-committee.

In common with all town departments, the school committee had received a communication from the Board of Selectmen during the last week of June, asking it to "examine each cent of expense . . . eliminate every bit of waste in office supplies, postage and use of telephone . . . exercise unusual care in the burning of fuel, gasoline and electric lights . . . cut down on replacement of manpower wherever possible."

The letter concluded, "We estimate very little change in the 1942 tax rate, but the real estate tax rate for 1943 presents the most discouraging prospect in history."

Other action taken at the meeting by the school committee, the first and only town department to take immediate action on the selectmen's request, included the discontinuance of the art department in the central schools, the elimination of noon-hour supervision by special school personnel, and the discharge of three teachers.

The special meeting will be held August 21, at 7:30, in the Memorial auditorium.

Edward R. Lawson, assistant superintendent of the Board of Public Works, is enjoying his annual vacation.

Topsfield Fair To Be Held September 9-13

After a month's consideration of the problems stemming from gasoline and tire rationing, directors of the Essex County Agricultural society have decided to conduct the 121st annual Topsfield Fair, September 9 through 13.

Their decision was prompted by a survey showing that more than 80 per cent of the exposition's average attendance of 50,000 to 60,000 is drawn from communities within a 10 to 15-mile radius of the fair grounds. Another factor was the many requests that the fair be held, received from farmers. Grange groups, 4-H clubs and others whose interest in agriculture has been stimulated by the nation-wide "Food for Freedom" program. Many of those urging that the fair be continued stated they would willingly forego planned week-end trips to attend the exposition.

Throughout the five-day program there will be a variety of special events to aid the war effort on the home front including an extensive air raid precaution and civilian defense exhibit, victory gardens, canning demonstrations, displays to help homemakers in planning balanced menus and a novel campaign to sell war bonds and stamps.

The big entertainment feature will be a championship rodeo.

Atty. and Mrs. Alan T. Polgreen are vacationing at Hampton Beach.

Mrs. Bridie Moynihan is convalescing at her home at 50 High street, following a recent stay at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy J. Scanlon and family of Summer street are enjoying a two-weeks' vacation at Seabrook, N. H.



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Playgrounds Preparing For Field Days, Carnivals

With the annual field days scheduled at all three playgrounds for tomorrow afternoon and evening, and carnivals planned for next Thursday at Shawsheen and Ballardvale, next Friday at Central, the local playground season is rapidly drawing to a close.

Good attendance has been marked at all regular afternoon and evening activities at the playgrounds this week, and last Friday's special events were witnessed by the largest crowds of the season.

A.R.P. classes, according to the intensified program adopted last week, were conducted every day this week, and the children in the course will take examinations today or tomorrow for the coveted wardens' pins and insignia.

Central

Field day events will be conducted tomorrow at the playstead for children of all ages. There will be dashes, relay races and novelty events in each of several divisions, with separate heats for boys and girls. The divisions will be: one to four years, toddlers; kindergarten, four to six; primary, 7 and 8; elementary, 9 and 10; juniors, 11 and 12; intermediates, 12 to 15; seniors, 15 and over.

The Central carnival will be held a week from tomorrow night, and plans have been progressing well for a gala event. There will be the usual handwork exhibits, refreshment and contest tables.

The best pets in Andover, according to the vociferous estimate of the children at Central, last Friday evening, are those of Mary McKee, which went home with the gold ribbon for being the best in the show. Blue, white and red ribbons were awarded the winners in each of the following groups:

Kittens: Mary McKee, first; Louise Moore, second; Joan Hathaway, third. Cats: Reginald Wood, first; James Holt, second; William Cox, third. Museum: prizes divided among Janet Hulse, Allen Wood, Robert Markert, Leo Ruel, Sally Ann McCollum and Pauline Surette. Zoo: Harold Wood, first; Mary Lou McKinley, second; Daniel Worcester, third. Dogs: David Nowell, first; Laurence White, second; Clarice Naylor, third. Puppies: Diane Nowell, first; William Arnold, second; Helen Surette, third.

Other children with entries in the various contests were: Paola Valz, Edward Flanagan, John Morgan, Joan Lefebvre, Frederick Dwyer, Dorothy Keith, Agnes Mc-

Atamney, Ann Sullivan, Carol Hutchings, Charles McCollum, Claire Wheeler, Dorothy Murphy, Branton Davey, John Beirne, Irene Yancy, Robert Henry and Patricia Mazer.

Ballardvale

This year's Ballardvale playground carnival, to be held on the Andover street grounds next Thursday evening, promises to be one of the most successful such events in its history. Mrs. James Nicoll and Mrs. Clyde Mears are co-chairmen of the committee now busy on arrangements. There will be grab, white elephant and pastry tables to suit all artistic and culinary tastes, and hot dogs, tonic, coffee and roasted corn will be sold. A large handwork exhibition is now being arranged, and ball-throwing and other contests will be held.

Meanwhile, A.R.P. practice has been proceeding favorably, and examinations for children taking the course were held this week.

Field day will be held tomorrow afternoon and evening, the general plan being similar to that outlined above for Central. Races and games will be held in the afternoon for children through the primary grades, and in the evening for the older ones.

The "mcsts" and "bests" among Ballardvale's doll inhabitants were chosen at a largely-attended doll contest last Friday evening. The winners were: Most natural: Barbara Partridge; best baby doll: Carol Forsythe; best fancy costumed doll: Ann Morton; smallest: Arthur Marian; most unusual: Doris Nicoll; best dressed: Thelma Sparks; most beautiful: Lucille Metcalf; oldest: Joyce Ormsby; largest: Sylvia Zalla; best in national costume: Ann MacFarlane; twins: Joyce Ormsby; best doll in decorated carriage: Norma Kibbee.

Others participating in the contest were: Eileen Stevens, Elna Fone, June Dumont, Marino Kowir, Janice Marian, Jane Baxter, Nancy White, Priscilla Colpitts, Elizabeth Chaplin, Skippy Moss, Shirley Townsend, Lillian Goodall, Joan Durling, Janice Durling, Joyce Williams, Joan O'Brien and Jane Baxter.

Mrs. James Morton and Mrs. Eugene Zalla served as judges.

George Zink of the playground staff staged the contest, assisted by Misses Barbara Loomer, Louise Wingate and Constance Cole.

Shawsheen

Shawsheen playground and Shawsheen generally is looking forward to its annual carnival, planned for next Wednesday evening, with unusual interest this year. Romeo C. King heads a large committee now arranging for such events as pony rides, novelty games, drawings, a bakery sale, and the sale of fresh vegetables, hot dogs, candy and sweet corn. A large outdoor grill has been erected.

Other features will include an old-fashioned auction sale, and square dancing to the music of Harold Phinney's recordings and amplifying system. Chance books are now on sale for a \$25 war bond, which will be drawn for at the close of the evening's entertainment, proceeds being devoted to the purchase of equipment, prizes and entertainment for the playground children.

Shawsheen's annual field day will be held tomorrow afternoon and evening, at 2:30 and 7:00. The events in the various age groups will be:

Boys and girls under six: balloon race and candy kiss scramble.

Boys and girls seven and eight years old: 50-yard dash and shoe scramble; nine and ten, 50-yard dash, clothes pin race and "find the bell" race. For those 11 and 12, the events will be a 50-yard dash, three-legged race and cup race; 13, 14 and 15, 100-yard dash and basketball throw for boys and girls, stilt race for boys, sack race for girls. Boys 16 and over will have a 100-

yard dash, basketball throw and tug-of-war; girls, 16 and over, a 100-yard dash, basketball throw and candle race.

A special victory pageant was staged Monday evening at Shawsheen, under the direction of Miss Esther Elliott of the staff. The pageant was dedicated to the Shawsheen playground boys now serving in the armed forces. Walter Tomlinson played the role of Uncle Sam and the rest of the cast was as follows: French girl—Joan Barry; Dutch girl—Marilyn Sullivan; American girl—Barbara Parsons; color bearers—Marilyn Dixon, Shirley Dixon, Chris Macomber, Bruce Macomber and Richard Gldley.

Another event in Shawsheen's busy week was an amateur contest last Friday evening. Dolores Chaisson wowed 'em with hersinging, tap dancing and baton-twirling, and received first prize. Clarice Berube took second with her rendition of "One Dozen Roses" and Marilyn Dixon third, singing "Little Blue Bird."

Winners in the O'Leary rope-skipping contest were Claire Berube and Edith LeBlanc.

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News Of Old Andover

50 YEARS AGO. The town's in-terest was centered, for the present, on watermelons, of which J. H. Campion had a large and luscious supply... Bartlet street was getting some new sidewalks, "which were much needed"... Essex county Pro-hibitionists were to hold an outing at Salem Willows... The Andover Band Orchestra was to furnish the music at a Women's Relief Corps "Kirmess." But what's a kirmess? ... Townspeople watched with bated breath as a Lawrence steeplejack climbed up to paint the South church steeple... Two auctions were to be held simultaneously Sat-urday... George Dove and family were at Pigeon Cove... Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnard took a two weeks' vacation at Moosehead Lake... One of Smith and Manning's horses died from colic... W. B. Cheever, of T. A. Holt and com-pany, came back from his vacation... The McKinley campaign flags were sadly bedraggled in a heavy storm... The coming of Cleveland's minstrel show was anxiously awaited in Lawrence... The latest local pastime was looking at Mars through the Abbot Academy tele-scope.

25 YEARS AGO. Camp Curtis Guild, new home of the popular Battery F, was visited that Sunday by more people than had been there since its establishment dur-ing the Civil War... Of the first draft quota of 340, 100 were to be called up Monday, 100 more Tues-day, the rest Wednesday... Charles Young, later to be killed in action, enlisted in Company L, 8th Regi-ment, Lance Sergt. William Rea, who had gone back to Scotland in 1915, was finally declared dead by the British War office, which had listed him as missing for nearly a year... The Public Safety Commit-tee planned to form a community selling service for surplus farm produce... The Carlisle Cord Tire company, new industry here, was getting along well... Norman Smith came home from France, where he had been with the American Field Service... Captain Holt of the State Guard became major of the battalion... Robert Cargill was feted by a large gathering in Abbott Village hall before leaving to join the Kilties... Harold S. Wilkins of Phillips Academy was commis-sioned a first lieutenant in or-dnance...

10 YEARS AGO. Two lives were lost in a Reading road auto acci-dent, and one of the drivers was brought before Judge Frederic N. Chandler on a charge of man-slaughter... Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Steiner's twin daughters were voted the most popular playground babies... William A. Doherty and Mrs. Frank Burns headed the com-mittee arranging for the K of C—C. D. A. carnival... The Legion was planning a big bugle and drum corps competition here in Septem-ber... The Sherrill club was at the top of the heap as the town league approached the season's end... Mary Doherty broke another swim-ming record at a Revere Beach pool... Tallulah Bankhead was in the midst of a short-lived movie career... William Rollins Brewster, who had been doing literary work abroad, perished in a squall off the Balaeric Islands... Construction was being rushed on the new postoffice... Miss Mary Brown of Ballardvale passed away after 30 years service as a Bradlee school teacher... John Russell was elected president of the Methodist church's Epworth League.

Hendrick Enrolled As Aviation Cadet

Thomas Frederick Hendrick, Jr., son of Thomas F. Hendrick of 10 Pasho street, is now enrolled as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces Pre-Flight School (Pilot) at Maxwell Field, Alabama, where he is taking the initial steps toward winning his wings as a pilot and a second lieutenant's commission in the Army Air Forces.

Cadet Hendrick attended Punch-ard high school and the New Eng-land School of Art in Boston. He was employed by the American Woolen Company prior to his ac-ceptance as an aviation cadet at Fort Devens, on March 24.

Gordon L. Colquhoun of Summer street is enjoying his annual vaca-tion from his duties as office man-ager at the Tyer Rubber company.

Town treasurer and Mrs. Thax-ter Eaton of Abbot street have been visiting with Mr. Eaton's sis-ter, Miss Helen Eaton, at Pine Point, Maine.

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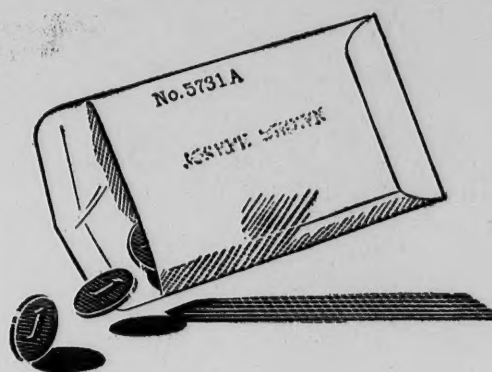
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Editorials



See You There?

And now—a special town meeting.

It's not the ordinary special town meeting this time. Usually special meetings are called because somebody circulates a petition and with the usual ease of getting signatures finds enough to have a meeting called, even though the matter may not be urgent and certainly should not be considered until it is brought into proper comparison with all the other town needs at the annual town meeting. But this meeting is different. It is a matter that has created a great deal of interest, and it is a matter which has to be acted on NOW. The school committee because the school year is necessarily more important to it than the calendar year, had to take its action this summer, and if the townspeople wish to void that action, it also has to be done this summer.

What do you think about closing up the outlying schools? That in effect is what you're being asked. The school committee has told you, by its action, that it feels that the only way it can save money is by closing up three schools, dispensing with the supervision of art teaching, cutting down on transportation privileges, etc. A large number of parents feel that the sacrifices entailed are too great for the savings realized; another large group of townspeople feel that this is a time when sacrifices such as these are necessary.

There should be no acrimonious debate. The school committee has done right in informing Andover that these savings were possible, and there is no doubt that it will abide by whatever ruling the town meeting hands down. The important thing is for you to go there a week from tomorrow night and express your opinion, either way. What the committee wants, what the town wants, is a true representation of the views of the townspeople, and that means that everybody should go.

And incidentally, you might thank God that here in America we can still call all our people together to consider and either affirm or disapprove the actions of our officials.

They're Going Fast

A lot of them went last Thursday morning. Before you came down town, they gathered at the town hall, and their relatives and friends were with them.

They were smiling, most of them. Maybe down deep inside they weren't though. They're being torn away from their family, their friends, their jobs, their businesses, from all the pleasures and fun that life in our fine little town affords.

There'll be more of them, many more going. It's a far cry from that day nearly two years ago when Andover's first quota of just two left. Today the number is greater, the fanfare less. It's a serious business these fellows are entering, a business in which some day they may be asked to give "that last full measure of devotion."

It's a serious business for us, too, and we've got to give something. The men at the front can do little if we in the civilian army behind the front don't provide them with the things they need. It means doing without a lot of luxuries to which we've gotten accustomed; it means working hard at our job. It means making every minute and every cent count in the war effort.

COMMUNICATIONS

45 Abbot street

To the Editor:

As the father of four children, all of school age, I am distressed to read in the Townsman that the town has prohibited riding bicycles on its sidewalks. The statutes are bulging with outmoded laws and the bicycle law is certainly no exception. In its zeal to carry out the letter of the law does the town also propose to apprehend and fine all bicycle riders when they exceed ten miles an hour? If all the laws

on the books were rigidly enforced we would all have to be policemen.

One can deplore that "irresponsible youths" riding bicycles on sidewalks have run into the injured people. These youths should be punished for their recklessness, as should any reckless driver of any vehicle. Because of this, to force all children, regardless of age, who use bicycles to ride on the highways in the paths of speeding motor vehicles can lead to only one result. Anyone who has driven an automobile knows what that result will be sooner or later. Any amount of sorrow and regret after some child has been run over and killed will

be useless. It will be too late, for the damage will have been done.

In the interests of safety, as a condition to having bicycles, my children have agreed to ride only on sidewalks, where there are any. This they have faithfully done. Now, apparently, they have the choice of continuing to ride on sidewalks and be fined for breaking the law, or, they may ride on highways and take the risk of being killed by automobiles. I prefer the safer but more expensive alternative.

Several times I have requested that a policeman be stationed on Main street at Punchard avenue, or Morton street during the times when children go to school. First and second graders, as well as other children, are expected to take their chances with trucks, buses and race track devotees speeding up and down Andover hill.

I have no idea when the bicycle law was passed, but it certainly has no place in today's scheme of things. A much safer ordinance would be to require that all bicycles be ridden on sidewalks where they exist and that their riders walk on the sidewalk with their bicycles in the retail district. If Andover is interested in the safety of its children it would be far better to use its competent police force to protect them rather than to force them into danger. Otherwise, Andover is going to regret its action after it is too late.

FREDERICK FLATHER, Jr.

Ed. Note: The suggestion that bicyclists walk with their wheels in the downtown district seems to solve the problem pretty well.

We may have given a false impression that the town had adopted a new by-law forbidding sidewalk bicycle riding; as a matter of fact, it is merely invoking a section of the state's General Laws, as revised in 1934. We don't think it will be rigidly enforced, but used only in cases where reckless riding lends itself to considerable danger or nuisance.

91 Elm street

To the Editor:

Boys from Andover are scattered over the world, serving in the Army, Navy, Marines and Air Corps of the United States. They are bearing bravely the hardships of war, facing peril, and suffering from the anxiety of waiting for that most dangerous moment when the order to advance on the enemy in mortal combat is given.

Of course we, who are serving on the home front, surely must realize that our part can never compare with that of our boys in actual foreign service. We are enjoying the comforts of home as usual, three square meals a day, time for entertainment, and the happy comfort of a good night's rest in a comfortable bed. We also have the privilege of lights, automobiles, and many other items too numerous to mention, for our enjoyment.

Yes, in Andover it seems we are a bit forgetful of the fact that our country is at war. Isn't it time for a united front to be formed in Andover? One that will be a credit to add to the history of the town? Always have we borne our country's adversities with a quiet, patriotic patience. It is indeed very important for the community as a whole, to respect what seems to be a minor sacrifice asked from us by our town officials.

Let Andover remember that if we go on disputing authority, we shall be lending an eye, an ear and a voice to the downfall of law and order. That was the beginning of

France's defeat by Germany. How the communities of France would enjoy, not so much a second front, as they would a second chance.

Why can't we, as Americans, accept the action of our school committee patriotically? It won't cause any grievous harm to the children. We adults sometimes worry altogether too much about our coming generation. It sometimes causes an inconvenience to make a change.

The children don't care one way or the other. If the truth were known, a bus ride is always an event of interest in very young people's lives. Andover need not get all fumed up about the pending school change, because there are more, yes, very many more trying changes for us all to endure before this war is brought to a victorious end.

ROBERT V. DEYERMOND

49 Abbot street

To the Editor:

One advantage of week-day religious education, I believe, would be the added importance and dignity that the subject would assume in the minds of the pupils, and the realization that religion has everyday practical values not confined to Sunday alone. Devoted to their work as most school teachers undoubtedly are, it can hardly be claimed, in most instances, that their training and experience is as extensive, or the standards as high, as in the public schools.

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The support of the churches, at least, may be taken for granted, and, I believe, that of the great majority of our people, especially at this time in view of the near breakdown of civilization throughout the world. If the building of character and the training of the young in the underlying basic truths of religion was ever important, surely it is now.

I should hope that the plan, when adopted, would be on an entirely inter-denominational basis, and that the children of any one of the Protestant churches would not necessarily have their week-day classes in that particular church. It is most encouraging to see the cause of church unity advancing, and to find the Roman Catholic and Protestant clergy in such substantial agreement.

May I point out that for anyone who has any time to spare this next week, there are excellent week-day religious education courses (among many others) both from the standpoint of teaching and of administration, at the Northern New England School of Religious Education in session at Durham, N. H., beginning Sunday. Visitors would be very welcome for a day or longer.

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This Sober Town

Headlines in the Sunday papers, as usual, sent us scurrying to our pocket atlas with the loose-leaf pages, to find out where the Dickens the Solomon Islands were. We had a vague idea that they were up near Alaska, and made a hasty conclusion that we were cleaning the rats out of the Rat Islands. Tackling it phonetically, we came to the second conclusion, equally ill-founded, that they were in the Middle East somewhere, and began to conjecture just what continents the Middle East involves. It was with some surprise that we finally located them near Australia, and found that our long-lost Port Moresby is also somewhere in that region.

And Timor! Long study of the Nordhoff and Hall books had given us the impression that Timor was located somewhere among their South Sea coral strands. For a traveler who invariably takes the wrong turn in Somerville, we are getting well acquainted with the world's waterways.

The retreat of the Russians has recently uncovered some new place names which are currently intriguing us. Voroshilovgrad and Stalin-grad, for instance, evidently named for the big chiefs among

men, have given us some new ideas on the way our centers of population in this country should be titled.

It strikes us that, though Herbert had the Hoover Dam to perpetuate his name, nothing seems to be carrying on the tradition of Roosevelt except Franklin himself. How about changing New York's postmark to read "Franklinsburg"; for that matter, the president lately seems as much concerned with the state of New York as with the state of the nation. An important oil center along the Gulf Coast, by the same system, could be retitled "Ickestown," and Detroit, "Henderson-ton."

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We understand that there is already a little community in Massachusetts called Saltonstall, but it was after some previous scion of the family that it was named. And if Boston's Leverett street honors the governor, it doesn't honor him very much.

We are still busy on our slo-ganeering, and this week decided to afflict the tin-can collection drive on the coming week-end. A few bedraggled samples: "Empty out the corn and beans, and give your cans for war machines." Or, "Tin will win, so turn it in." Again, "wash 'em out, squash 'em flat; some day they may kill a rat." "With your tin, the army can." "Set a box of cans in your front yard, or take your orders from the Elite Guard." The final word—"Be canny with cans."

SIFTINGS

Doesn't it seem nice to be offensive to the Japs at last after they've been offensive to us for so long?

It looked for a while as if the British would have to use their Tomahawks on the Indians.

Mr. Petrillo, \$45,000-plus musicians' union czar, recently banned the broadcast by the Interlochen child musicians because they weren't members of the union. America will be glad when it can sing: "And the banned played on."

Poor Adolf—doesn't know whether it's going to be a second front or a false front.

Politicians too are to be on strict gasoline rations. What—no gas for gassing?

The Army needs tanks—but it's been turning down some of Andover's tanks and calling it high blood pressure.

CONCERT FOR WAR RELIEF

The Boston Symphony Pops orchestra, with Arthur Fiedler conducting and Bernhard Weiser as guest pianist will give a concert for the benefit of Russian War Relief, Inc., at 2:30 Sunday at the Memorial auditorium, Lowell. The concert will be informal.

Mrs. Alfred E. Stearns of Danvers and Miss Anna Freeman of Andover are members of the ticket committee, and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Grew are among the subscribers. The music will be entirely that of Russian composers.

Edmond Young of Andover street is enjoying his vacation in Epping, N. H.

The name of Miss Stephanie Marcus, R.N., of 40 Corbett street, is included in a list of reserve nurses recently called to active duty with the army medical corps by Maj. Gen. Sherman Miles, commanding the First Service command. She will be stationed at Fort Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brodhead of High street spent the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. Donald H. Savage at Ogunquit, Me.

Misses Dorothy Abbott and Constance O'Connor have returned from a three weeks vacation at the 4-H camp at Georgetown.

Mrs. George L. Burnham has returned to her home on Summer street, after being confined to the Lawrence General hospital for several weeks with a broken hip.

NEW STORE HOURS

Effective Monday, August 17, this store will be closed every day from 12 o'clock noon until 1 o'clock P. M. Shortage of help compels us to make this change. We shall all go to dinner and return at the same time.

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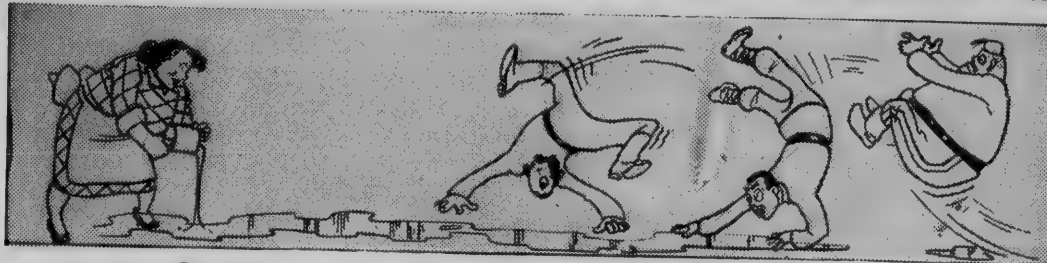
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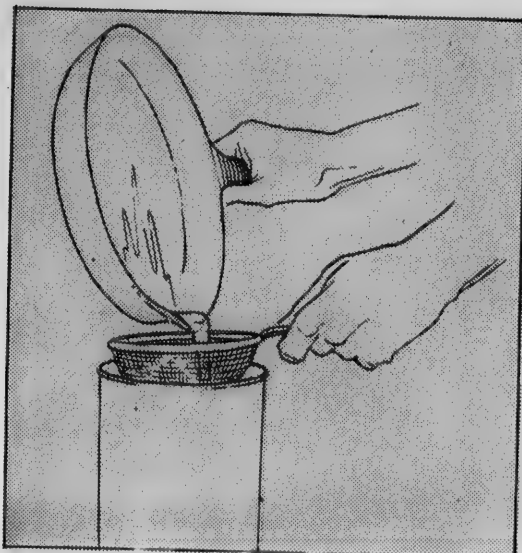
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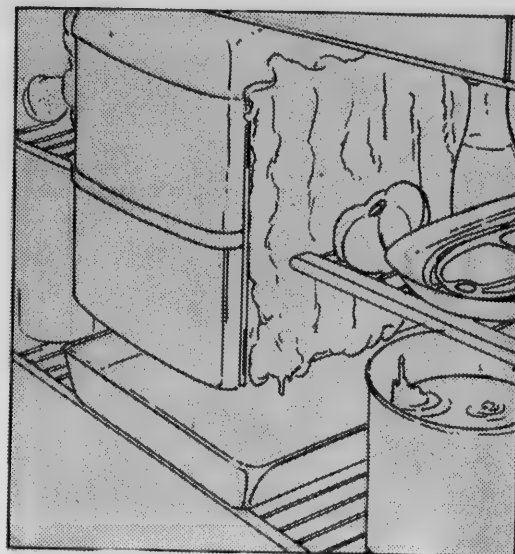
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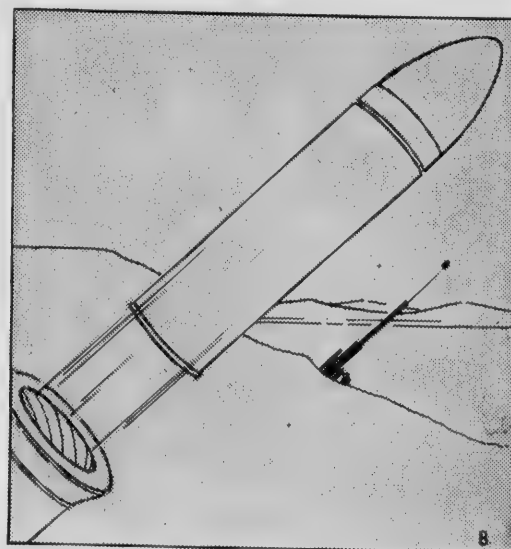
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"Pirates Of Penzance" Readied For Next Week

Miss Mary Marcinuk, soprano, of Groveland, and Robert McGauley, tenor, of Haverhill, will have the principal roles in the Gilbert and Sullivan comic opera, "The Pirates of Penzance," to be given at the Opera Gardens, Porter road, next Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8:15.

They and the eight other leads previously announced will be supported by choruses composed of the following singers:

Sopranos: Marie Auclair, Angie Cord, Helen Cole, Irene Foster, Eunice Harriman, Maud Killam, Rae McCormick, Luella Thompson.

Contraltos: Phyllis Daniels, Beulah Dennison, Roven Eastman, Carol Reading.

Tenors: Donald Hunt, Horace Killam, Jr., Richard O'Donnell, Albert Perley, Joseph Sagan, Paul Wake.

Basses: Arthur Card, Donald Gordon, Homer Foster, Harold Ralph, Fred Wood.

Merrill Berry of Bradford will be the pianist, and Domenic Teoli, violinist and concert master of Lawrence, will have charge of the orchestra. Horace Killam will direct the production.

Misses Helen Walsh, Anna Louise Manning, Roven Coon, Phyllis Anderson and Audrey Nowell will be the ushers. David Graham will be in charge of ticket collection, and Miss C. Madeleine Hewes and Mrs. George Henderson of their sale.

Makeup will be supervised by Dr. Carrie Bacon, Mrs. David Forbes, Mrs. Pauline Morse and Miss Rae McCormick. Scenery for the second act has been painted by Horace Killam, Jr. Miss B. Pearl Lewis, Mrs. Edmund Berry, Mrs. Mervyn Manning and Mrs. Ralph Bartlett will assist in the house and with the register, while George Henderson, George Gifford, Henry Albers, Frederick Davidett and John McFay will have charge of parking.

Folding chairs are being loaned by Everett M. Lundgren, the local American Legion post and the First church of Christ, Bradford.

If stormy any of the nights scheduled, the performances will be held the following night. All seats are reserved, and may be secured in advance by calling Andover 938-M.

CHURCHES

Free and South Churches

Sunday, 10:45, morning worship and sermon, by Rev. Frederick B. Noss, at Free church.

St. Augustine's

Tomorrow, confessions afternoon and evening; 4:00, at Ballardvale; 7:45, evening devotions, with rosary, sermon and benediction.

Saturday, feast of the Assumption, holy day of obligation; masses at 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 and 9:00, followed by benediction; 4:30 and 7:30, confessions.

Sunday, masses at 6:30, 8:30, 9:45, 11:30, followed by benediction.

Christ Church

Sunday, 8:00, Holy Communion; 10:00, litany, ante-communion service and sermon.

Union Congregational

All church services suspended through August.

Methodist Church

Sunday, 10:30, morning worship and sermon; 11:30, church school.

George A. Higgins, for many years town clerk and treasurer for Andover, has moved to Rockport, where he will reside with his daughter, Miss Gladys Higgins, a teacher in the Rockport public schools.

LIBRARY NOTES

Among the books recently added to the library are:

A Bride Goes West—Alderson. The autobiography of a woman pioneer in Montana who, after her husband's death, supported her children by running the post office and general store where the customers were Indians and cowboys.

Passport to Adventure—Cotlow. A New York insurance man, whose hobby is traveling and photographing animals, describes some of his adventures in Spain, Mexico, Africa and South America.

Men Who Made the Future—Bliven. Exit the Common Cold, Remaking the World of Plants, Science and Civilization. In the Depths of the Sky are a few of the chapters in this book which tells of the recent advances of science through research and experiment in many fields.

Kings and Desperate Men—Kronenberger. A vigorous picture of 18th century England in which the author sketches the rulers, classes, types of activity and the lives of many great men and women.

Making of Tomorrow—De Roussy de Sales. A French journalist, long a resident of the United States, analyses nationalism, collectivism, pacifism. A readable and provocative book.

Stretching Your Dollar in War-time—Brindze. Consumer advice on the intelligent purchasing of food, clothes, household goods, and on maintaining the home and family automobile in war time.

Shooting the Russian War—Bourke-White. With her husband, Erskine Caldwell, the author had unusual opportunities to become acquainted with the Russian people. Primarily a photographer—there are some one hundred exceptional photographs in the book—she has written accompanying text and captions of great interest.

Everyday Nursing for the Everyday Home—Norlin. A practical manual which deals with maintaining family health and the care of the sick in the home.

Moscow War Diary—Werth. The Russian War gave the author the opportunity to return to Russia where he had lived as a child, and he tells in this book of his experiences as a reporter for Reuter's agency in Moscow, July—October 1941.

If canning is your present activity, you may be interested in books which give you instructions on how to can. The Library has also some excellent pamphlets issued by the Massachusetts State College Extension Division.

Resigns

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Town of Andover as its Chairman, and publicly want to express my appreciation of the kindness and co-operation of the Board, and all the members of the Civilian Defense organization.

I feel that Andover has a defense organization actively operating for the benefit of the community, and that its members should be justly proud of its accomplishments.

Yours sincerely,

ALAN T. POLGREEN

BIRTH

Friday, at Richardson House, Boston, a son, David Bowman, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur J. Bender of Hidden Field. The family now consists of two girls and a boy.

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BALLARDVALE

Discuss School Closing

A special meeting made necessary by the recent decision of the school committee to close the Bradley, North and West Center schools "for the duration", was held in the community rooms last Thursday evening. Varied opinions were discussed, and the petition requesting a special town meeting was turned over to the committee in charge of contacting voters who were unable to attend the meeting.

The problem of furnishing transportation to Andover to attend the petitioned-for meeting was solved by the unanimous consent of personal car owners to donate their services to the cause. It was felt by those attending that the importance of the situation was realized by the fact that so many individuals were willing to sacrifice part of their gasoline rations.

A committee was nominated to present Ballardvale residents' side of the argument before the town. William H. Riley presided.

Birth

Monday, a son, Donald Whitman Boyd, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Boyd of Fitchburg. Mrs. Boyd is the former Miss Helen Nicoll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Nicoll of Ballardvale.

Methodist Picnic

A successful picnic was held by the members of the Methodist church school on the church lawn Saturday. Basket lunches were brought by the children, and ice cream and soft drinks served by the committee.

New Voters Added

At Shawshen Tuesday evening, 27 new voters were added to the list by the board of registrars. The people of West Parish are to register tonight at Grange hall, and on Tuesday evening, Ballardvale residents will register at the precinct room.

Mrs. J. W. Stark is spending the week in Bath, Maine.

Austin Day and Ainslee Schofield left Wednesday for a bicycle trip through New Hampshire.

The meeting of the Friendly Guild, previously scheduled for August 21, has been changed to August 28, because of the conflict with the special town meeting.

Little Joan Myers left Monday for a visit with relatives in Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Carol Reading entertained her schoolmates from Boston at a weenie roast at her home Saturday.

A new floor is being laid in the Union Congregational church vestry.

Mrs. Michael Bell attended the funeral of her cousin in Rochester, N. H., Sunday.

Mrs. Francis Benson is confined to her home as the result of a fall. All persons desiring transportation to the special town meeting August 21 at 7:30, are asked to meet at the community room at 6:45.

Mrs. Frances Haggerty is visiting relatives in Lynn.

Thomas O'Donnell is recuperating from his recent operation at the O'Donnell sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews and children are visiting relatives in Pittsburg and Ayer.

Legion Gets State Prize For Community Service

A letter from Timothy F. McLaughlin, chairman of the community service committee in the state department of the American Legion, this week gave the local post the pleasant news that it had won second prize in the state competition for community service during the past year. The local Legionnaires scored 870 points out of a possible 1000; the fact that the report submitted by them to the state department was incorrectly worded so that there was "a lack of substantiating evidence" alone prevented them from winning first prize.

Stafford A. Lindsay of Shawshen heads Legion community service activities, and much has been accomplished during the past year. The Legion's work in starting plans for the town Flag Day parade, erecting the plaque before the town hall, child welfare and playground work, have all made an impressive record for presentation to the state. The maintenance of the local aircraft observation post and the forming of a squad for giving blood transfusions were also considered.

The annual Legion state convention will be held in Holyoke next Friday and Saturday. Delegates from Andover will be Stafford A. Lindsay, Edgar Northam and L. W. Muise; the alternates will be Thomas P. Dea, Arthur Steinert and Harold Peters.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Harriet S. Greenwood (wife of George A. Greenwood), late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Wright H. Stafford of Andover and James H. Rowley of Methuen and both in said County, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bonds.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of September 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register (13-20-27)



WARRANT The

Commonwealth of Massachusetts ESSEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Andover, Greeting: In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Town Affairs to meet and assemble at the Memorial Auditorium, FRIDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF AUGUST, 1942 at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the town will vote to instruct the school committee to rescind their recent action in closing the Bradley, North and West Center Schools, on petition of William J. Riley and others.

ARTICLE 2. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies and publication thereof, seven days at least before the time and place of said meeting as directed by the By-laws of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this Tenth day of August, A.D., 1942.

ROY E. HARDY
J. EVERETT COLLINS,
EDWARD P. HALL
Selectmen of Andover

Andover, August 13, 1942.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Ezra H. Valpey late of Andover in said County, deceased. The executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance his eleventh account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of September, 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register (13-20-27)

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Paul Sarnes, Manooq Mastanian and Avedis Sahagian, all of Lawrence in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Andover Savings Bank, a corporation established under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, dated July 3, 1925, recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds, book 513, page 278, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction at two o'clock on Monday afternoon, the thirty-first day of August, 1942, at the Andover Savings Bank, Andover, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Lawrence and bounded and described as follows: Northerly by land now or formerly of James H. Mooshoian and of Alfred Demers, et ux, one hundred thirteen (113) feet more or less; Easterly by May Street eighty-seven (87) feet; Southerly in two courses by Haverhill Street ninety and 55/100 (90.55) feet; Westerly by land now or late of James H. Mooshoian ninety-seven (97) feet more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to the mortgagors by Peter Chilingirian by deed dated March 11, 1922, and recorded in said registry of deeds book 455, page 77.

Terms of sale: A deposit of five hundred dollars to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK
by LOUIS S. FINGER, treasurer
present holder of said mortgage
(July 30, Aug. 6, 13)

Andover Savings Bank

The following pass books issued by the Andover Savings Bank have been lost and application has been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

Payment has been stopped.

Books 48965, 42995.

LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Emery E. Trott late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Emery J. Trott of Andover in said County be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of September 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
Sweeney & Sargent, Attorneys,
Lawrence, Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Joseph Palmer Nolan late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by James A. Nolan of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighth day of September 1942, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
Anna M. Greeley, Atty.
Andover, Massachusetts

(13-20-27)

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by George R. Cairns and Frank Cairns, both of Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, to Gertrude B. Bergstrom of said Andover, which mortgage is dated May 24, 1941, and is recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 641, Page 20, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 2:30 o'clock P. M. on the fifth day of September, A.D. 1942, on the premises hereinafter described, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Andover, in said County of Essex, Massachusetts, on the Westerly side of a proposed street shown as Lincoln Circle and being lot number 5 as shown on a plan of land shown as "Plan of Subdivision of Lincoln Circle, Section No. 1, located in Andover, Massachusetts, owned by George and Frank Cairns," surveyed by Morse, Dickinson, and Goodwin, Engineers, May, 1940, which plan is to be recorded with the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds. Said lot is bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by lot No. 2 as shown on said plan eighty-five and 25/100 (85.25) feet; Southwesterly by lot No. 3 as shown on said plan sixty-seven and 75/100 (67.75) feet; Northwesterly by lot No. 6 as shown on said plan one hundred fifty (150) feet; Northeasterly by a proposed street shown as Lincoln Circle, a radius of fifty-four and 44/100 (54.44) feet extending fifty-eight and 62/100 (58.62) feet as shown on said plan; Easterly by a proposed street shown as Lincoln Circle fifty-seven and 80/100 (57.80) feet as shown on said plan; containing 9,700 square feet of land more or less as shown on said plan.

Being a portion of the premises conveyed to the said George R. Cairns and Frank Cairns by the Estate of Maurice J. Curran by deed dated June 16, 1939, and recorded with the Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 623, Page 277. Said premises are conveyed subject to restrictions and protective covenants described in an instrument of George R. Cairns and Frank Cairns dated December 13, 1940, and recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 636, Page 508.

The said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens.

Terms of Sale: The sum of Five Hundred dollars (\$500.00) in cash will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale and the balance of the purchase price will be required to be paid in cash ten (10) days from the date of said sale upon delivery of the deed.

Other terms to be announced at the sale. (Signed) GERTRUDE B. BERGSTROM
Mortgagee and present holder of said mortgage.

August 10, 1942.
Halbert W. Dow, Atty.,
411-12 Bay State Bldg.,
Lawrence, Mass.

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Baseball

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third, allowing Wells to score and sending Duffen to third. A wild pitch by Stickney let Duffen score the third run.

In the third inning, a sharp single by LaCroix brought in Wells with the fourth tally. In the seventh, after Kershaw had singled and gone to second on a walk to Bellevue, Castonguay scored him with a hit to center.

A walk to Tom Low, with the bases loaded, forced in Andover's only run in the fourth. Robichaud and Erler had walked, and Follansbee had advanced them with a floater to short center when Low received his pass. Low's shortstop play featured the fielding for Andover, and Castonguay's catch of Erler's long fly was the best individual play of the game.

Andover 4, St. Anne 2

Tuesday's game was an easy win for Andover, the issue being decided as early as the second inning, the last and only frame in which the Lawrence club scored. Buddy Done was extremely effective, allowing only five hits, three of them in the second inning, and issuing only two walks.

Andover scored all its four runs in the first inning, after two were out. Erler, Hilton and Gibbons were walked in succession, filling the bases, and Cargill singled through shortstop to score Erler and Hilton. Robichaud singled to left, scoring Gibbons and Cargill. Dean Ellis, who had started the game, was relieved at this point by Bellevue, and the latter succeeded in finishing the inning without further scoring.

In the second inning, two out, St. Anne at bat, Haltmaier singled, Berube walked, Lacroix reached first on a tipped bat. Castonguay hit to center, scoring Haltmaier, and Schiller walked, forcing in Berube. Schiller was neatly picked off first base by catcher George Follansbee to end the inning.

Andover scored two more runs in the first of the seventh, when a walk to Bisset, a double by Erler, and a single by Hilton brought in two runs. The game was called for darkness at the end of the first half of the inning, however, and the score reverted back to 4-2.

Mason-Contractor Dead

A well-known mason and contractor during most of the 50 years he lived here, Onesime J. Tardif, 51, died Tuesday night at his home on Rattlesnake Hill road, after an illness of several months. He was a native of Lawrence.

Surviving are his wife, Georgeanna (Gauthier) Tardif; a daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Miller; a sister, Rose; three nieces and two nephews.

The funeral will be held from the family home Friday morning, with a high mass of requiem at 9:30 o'clock at St. Augustine's church. Burial will be in St. Augustine's cemetery.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Herbert A. Skinner, Navy yard, Philadelphia, Pa., and Catherine V. Craig, 50 Stevens street.

Frank N. Patterson, 6 Howe street, Lawrence, and Eleanor Hathaway, 7 Carisbrooke street.

John A. B. Faggi, Woodstock, R. I., and Jeanne Sawyer, 60 Bartlett street.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cole have returned from a week's vacation at Nantucket.

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